

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
GROUP 2626  
PATENT APPLICATION

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For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR SYNTHESIZING SPEECH USING DISCOURSE  
FUNCTION LEVEL PROSODIC FEATURES

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated May 13, 2009, please amend the above-  
identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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